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## Mary Chiles Hospital Opens Doors Saturday

The doors of the Mary Chiles Hospital were thrown open to the public on Saturday afternoon, when hundreds of people from this and surrounding towns visited Mt. Sterling's handsome new institution. The reception hours were from 2 until 5 o'clock, the dedication taking place at 3 o'clock. Judge Robert H. Winn gave a history of the building of the hospital. Dr. M. V. P. Yeaman, Rev. Clyde Darsie and Rev. R. C. Goldsmith also had part in the ceremonies. Mrs. Jack Burbridge and Mrs. Roger Drake sang a duet.

The hospital, a part of which was formerly the old Bigstaff mansion, is strictly modern in every respect, well lighted, ventilated and on top of a hill well away from the noise and confusion of the streets. The patients' room are airy apartments, fitted out with most comfortable hospital beds, dressers, wardrobes, chairs and bedside tables, each with its individual china and silver.

Mrs. Robert C. Gatewood furnished a room in memory of her mother, Mrs. Laura Magowan; Mrs. George R. Snyder, of this city, and William H. Reid, of New York, a room in memory of their mother, Mrs. Nettie Reid; Mrs. G. Allen McCormick in memory of her daughter, Miss Florence McCormick; Mrs. Caswell Prewitt in memory of her husband. The women's ward was furnished by Mrs. M. T. McDowd, of Winchester, and Mrs. B. W. Trimble, of this city in memory of their mother, Mrs. Martha Cassity. Other rooms were furnished by the Catholic church, the Baptist church, Tuesday Club, and Mrs. John G. Winn, of this city, and S. H. Glick, formerly of this city, but now of Huntington, W. Va. The Trimble Loyal Women's Bible Class furnished a room in memory of the late Rev. H. D. Clark. The sun parlor, which is one of the most attractive parts of the new hospital, was furnished by Mrs. R. G. Stoner. The obstetrical room, considered the finest in the state, and nursery was furnished by the Country Women's Club, the operating room by the physicians of the county, the doctor's consultation room in the tower of the building, by Lexington doctors. The dining room was furnished by the History Club and the sterilizers and other equipment was donated by the Junior Women's Club and the Women's Club. Through the generosity of the W. C. T. U. the hospital grounds will be beautified and kept in order.

Miss Bess Pelley is the very efficient superintendent with Miss Cline as surgical nurse and Mrs. Kayes as night nurse.

The Mary Chiles hospital, made possible through the generous gifts of money, time and effort on the part of a number of our citizens, fills a long felt need in our community and is an institution of which we are justly proud.

For Fresh County Butter call Mrs. Jack Owens, Phone 207-W-2.

### CREAM DELIVERED

We will accept orders for Sunday delivery of cream and ices up to 11 o'clock each Sunday morning. LET US HAVE YOUR ORDER.—Candy Kitchen, Phone 119. (52-84)

## Mt. Sterling Seen On the Screen

At the Tabb Theatre on Thursday, matinee and night, the film recently made, showing Mt. Sterling in the movies will be the attraction in connection with a First National photoplay featuring Mildred Harris in "Polly of the Storm Country." The film of Mt. Sterling promises to be a very interesting one, showing, as it does, all local views, the school children, public buildings, many of Mt. Sterling's leading business concerns, living models with the latest styles and many other interesting features. The pictures were taken at random and no one knows just who was "shot" so you had better be sure and be at the Tabb Thursday—for you may have a leading role in this interesting local picture.

### Beloved Woman Dies

Miss Elizabeth Amburguy, aged 41 years, died Saturday night at the home of her father, A. J. Amburguy, on Locust street, following an illness of many months. Miss Amburguy was a member of the Baptist church and was an earnest Christian woman, greatly beloved by her family and friends. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Amburguy, two sisters, Mrs. Ida Chambers and Mrs. W. J. McCarty, of this city, and one brother, Samuel Amburguy. Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon by the Rev. Thompson, of the Winchester Baptist church. Burial was in Machpelah cemetery.

### FOR SALE

New Tennis Net (used once), also good Racquet and six good balls. Apply at this office.

## Rufus Hadden in a Critical Condition

Hon. Rufus Hadden, one of the most widely known and highest esteemed citizens of this county, lies at death's door at his home on Clay street in this city. He has been in a semi-conscious condition for several days and the end is momentarily expected. His children have all been summoned to his bedside and his death is only a matter of hours.

FOR SALE—Ford Roadster. Apply to R. P. Winn. (54-55)

### FORMER PASTOR HONORED

Dr. J. Pike Powers, the first pastor of the Mt. Sterling Baptist church, has been again honored by being elected chairman of the board of trustees of Carson Newman College, Jefferson City, Tenn.

Doctor Powers is now entering on his 22nd year as chairman of this board.

### BUILDING TURNPIKE

Work has begun on the turnpike over the old Springfield road, beginning at the Bath county line, and extending to a distance beyond Springfield church. The building of this pike will be a good benefit as far as it goes. Montgomery county built her end of the pike several years ago.

FOR SALE—Fine Dahlias and Cannas. Any sort, any color. L. T. CHILES. 54-84

## SOUND THE CHARGE

"Beat a retreat," said Napoleon to a drummer boy, when in one of his battles he felt that he was losing and that his army must retreat in order to be saved.

"Sir," said the drummer boy, "I have never learned to beat a retreat, but I can beat a march that will make the dead arise and fight." He received permission from the General to beat a march, into which he threw his very soul. The tired, weary, almost defeated soldiers caught the inspiration of the charge, and with new energy and quickened fire of body and spirit rushed once more to the battle and won a great victory.

The people of this country feel that they have been almost defeated; discouragement fills their minds and hearts. The power of the enemy has almost reached the limit of their endurance. They have been beating a retreat, but the time has come to beat a march and catch that new inspiration which Napoleon's soldiers felt at the stirring music brought forth by the indomitable drummer boy who knew not how to beat a retreat.

Every man who is pessimistic, or who permits the discouragements of the hour to dominate him, is beating a retreat. He is not only beating a retreat for his own business, but he is beating a retreat for all with whom he comes in touch. The time has come to beat a march, to sound the charge, to quicken the life blood of the nation once more, and out of the apparent defeat of the last twelve months rally for a new charge, a new creative period of work and energy. Forgetting the things that are behind, we must press forward with greater energy to overcome the difficulties which as a nation we have had to face.

Every man who draws within his business shell, every man who cancels his contracts or pessimistically refuses to do business because of his fear of the future, is beating a retreat.

Every man who goes ahead, who has the optimism of the drummer boy and a spirit which dares to do things, is beating a march on to victory.

If throughout the entire nation there can be rekindled the drummer boy's fire, we shall soon have optimism and sunshine and prosperity, where today there is pessimism and doubt and despair.

It was the drummer boy whose work inspired the great Napoleon and his troops. It must be the drummer boy of the business world, the farmer and the small merchant, and the individual business man, who beats the march and sounds the charge rather than the great business leaders who have halted so long.

The ones who have suffered must be the ones to dare and do the most.

The men who would beat a march on to victory over the threatened disaster which they have so long faced will be the red-blooded men who know that the nation cannot stand still and who are determined to lead the charge.

The pessimist is the shirker.

The optimist is the burden-bearer.

The pessimist is the man who beats the retreat.

The optimist is the man who sounds the charge.

WHICH ARE YOU?

—Manufacturer's Record.

## Community Service For Mt. Sterling

The invitation from the temporary Community Service Committee of Mt. Sterling to the National Community Service, asking that a trained secretary be sent here to assist in organizing leisure time activities in this city has been accepted and Mr. Ralph W. Hills will report here today to start the work.

H. G. Hoffman, president of the Chamber of Commerce, has received the following letter:

My dear Mr. Hoffman: This will acknowledge the invitation from the temporary Community Service committee of Mt. Sterling, Ky., requesting the assistance of Community Service (Incorporated) in organizing leisure time activities in your city. We are pleased to learn of the interest Mr. DeJarnette found in your city. Our national executive committee has reviewed the situation thoroughly and has accepted the invitation based upon the interest which exists and the apparent readiness of your local people to finance a suitable program following the organization and demonstration work upon which we are requested to assist. Because of the demands on the limited personnel of our organization we would not ordinarily be able to send a man immediately. However, it so happens that our Mr. Ralph W. Hills will be available in a few days and we will ask him to report to Mt. Sterling immediately upon the completion of his present work.

We understand that your committee definitely agrees to make provision for the expenses connected with the demonstration determined upon as well as arrange ample office facilities, stenographic service, telephone and the other conveniences

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## Home Talent Play on Tuesday Night

The home talent play "I Grant You Three Wishes," which has been rehearsed for the past ten days, will be presented by the Junior History Club at the lub rooms tonight.

The cast, which is made up of some of the city's most attractive maids and matrons, is as follows:

Prologue and Epilogue—Mrs. Elaine McChesney Montfort, Mrs. Meredith Cox, Elaine, her granddaughter—Mary V. Robertson, Lois, the maid—Elizabeth Young, Messenger boy—Dorothy Tyler, Beth McChesney, an artist—Elizabeth McCoun, Lucille Fairfax, her friend—Vivian Alfrey, Aggie Lyman, a model—Ethel Baker, Maggie O'Brien, a scrub woman, Laura Hart, Alice McChesney, an actress—Mrs. Leo Hombs, Madame LeFaire, a modiste—Blanche Clark, Aileen Aldrich, the leading lady—Martha Mae Robinson, Joyce Hamilton, an actress—Ida Belle Brother, Elaine McChesney—Mrs. Ralph Greene, Mrs. Newcombe, a neighbor—Frances Henry, Sara, a maid—Shirley Tont.

There will be specialties between acts, including a reading by Mrs. Tipton Wilson, a violin solo by Miss Evelyn Prewitt and songs by Mrs. Ralph Greene and Miss Alma Cox.

## An Unique Advertising Plan

On another page in this issue appears an advertisement of Hombs & Co., with a cartoon of a baseball, representing a star in either the National or American League. These cartoons will appear in their advertisement on each Tuesday for 12 weeks and to the first person guessing and bringing the correct answer to the store on or after 8 o'clock Thursday morning will be given \$1 worth of merchandise. The plan is a very unique one and is certain to create much interest. "Get in the game," study the pictures carefully and hurry to the store on Thursday mornings.

### AT THE TABB

On last Friday evening at the Tabb Theatre was that celebrated fiction picture "Kismet." Other theatres of note have and are giving this wonder story in the movies. Early in the evening an eager audience was seeking preferred seats for this picture and it was shown to a crowded house. Mr. Small has the spirit of the public at heart when he chooses such high class pictures for this community and is to be praised.

## Claude Stephens Dies From Wounds

Claude P. Stephens, who was assaulted and robbed on Locust street in this city several weeks ago, died at the St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington Saturday night. He had been unconscious for several days and his death was momentarily expected.

The remains were brought to this city Sunday and lay in state at the Christian church until this morning when they were interred in Machpelah cemetery after services at the church, conducted by Rev. Clyde Darsie.

The assault on Mr. Stephens, which caused his death, was one of the most outrageous crimes that has been committed in this community in many years, and it is sincerely hoped that the criminals may be speedily brought to justice and given their just deserts.

Mr. Stephens was 46 years of age, proprietor of the Mt. Sterling Bottling Works, and a leading business man. He was a consecrated member of the local Christian church and gave freely of his time and means in advancing the work of his Master.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Adelia Rankin and Mrs. O. B. Clark, both of this county.

"Dummy" Stephens, as he was known to countless friends, was an upright and honored citizen, and if he ever harmed any man we never heard of it. He attended strictly to his own business and was never happier than when doing something which might brighten the life of his fellowman and in his untimely death Mt. Sterling has indeed lost a valued citizen.

### WHAT HAVE YOU FOR SALE?

Clothing, shoes, furniture. We sell absolutely anything of value. Call 913. We call for goods. The Market Place. C. Howell, manager. tf

## Price of Crude Oil Showing Increases

The first advance in the price of crude oil was recorded yesterday when all grades showed a gain of from 10 to 25 cents per barrel. The increase in price will amount to thousands of dollars to operators in this section, and it is thought by many that other advances will be made in the near future.

### MARKET PRICE FOR WOOL

I am buying wool at the highest market price. Call at McDonald Bros. former stand and secure the sacks needed.—John McDonald 52-4

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